

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 31824
Deepak Gandhi, et al. : Confirmation Number: 6159
Application No.: 10/578,806 : Group Art Unit: 3774
Filed: May 08, 2006 : Examiner: Suba Ganesan
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DEVICES WITH ENHANCED :
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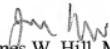
Attention is also respectfully directed to the following co-pending and co-owned applications.

Application No.	Filing Date	Title
11/786,023	04/09/2007	Endovascular Device with Membrane
10/580,139	05/19/2006	Medical Device
10/541,254	08/01/2006	Medical Device
11/547,100	09/29/2006	Method for Treating Aneurysms
11/586,899	10/25/2006	Medical Device
11/637,188	12/12/2006	Endovascular Device With Membrane Having Permanently Attached Agents
12/093,310	05/09/2008	Medical Device With Non-Circumferential Surface Portion

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